Docket No.

206732US0

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Kengo OKAJIMA

SERIAL NO: 09/848,318

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FOR:

PROCESS FOR THE PURIFICATION OF INORGANIC SALT CONTAINING ORGANIC MATERIAL AND

PURIFIED SALT FOR ELECTROLYSIS OF SODIUM CHLORIDE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS	CLAIMS REMAINING		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID	NO. EXTRA CLAIMS		RATE		CALCULATIONS
TOTAL	28	MINUS	29	0	x	\$18	=	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	1	MINUS	3	0	х	\$86	=	\$0.00
		☐ MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS + \$290 =					\$0.00	
		TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS					\$0.00	
	☐ Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity						\$0.00	
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## **AMENDMENT**

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated April 22, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.